



### **Abstract**

There is provided an expandable absorbent material having superabsorbent in an  
5 amount from about 1 to about 75 weight percent and crimped thermoplastic fibers in an  
amount from about 25 to about 99 weight percent, where said material has a density of from  
about 0.02 g/cc to about 0.25 g/cc. The superabsorbent may be in the form of particulate,  
fiber and foam. Such a composite may be used in personal care products like diapers,  
training pants, absorbent underpants, adult incontinence products, and the like.

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